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News worth sharing.

# 'Pegger in running for sexiest candidate

**Contest generates more than 250,000 votes Blogger says he started contest to help engage younger voters**

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Elmwood-Transcona candidate Ilona Niemczyk never thought she'd be in a headshot-to-headshot battle this election.

But the 35-year-old Liberal MP hopeful is currently in first place for the title of Canada's Sexiest Election Candidate.

"At first I thought, what is this?" said Niemczyk, adding in the first days of the election campaign, she came across the blog-only contest.

She friended the blogger, Zach Bussey, on Facebook and asked him "a lot of questions" to make sure the contest was lighthearted and fun.

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▶ Ilona Niemczyk

"You know, I didn't want to be associated ... with anything that was mean."

Bussey said he created the online contest to combat voter apathy and told Niemczyk it was a different way to engage voters.

"And it is, he's got our websites and Facebook and Twitter, and people have been finding me through there and asking me Liberal-platform specific questions, so in that way, it has worked."

Niemczyk said she's surprised she's made it to the final four, and when she last checked, she was winning.

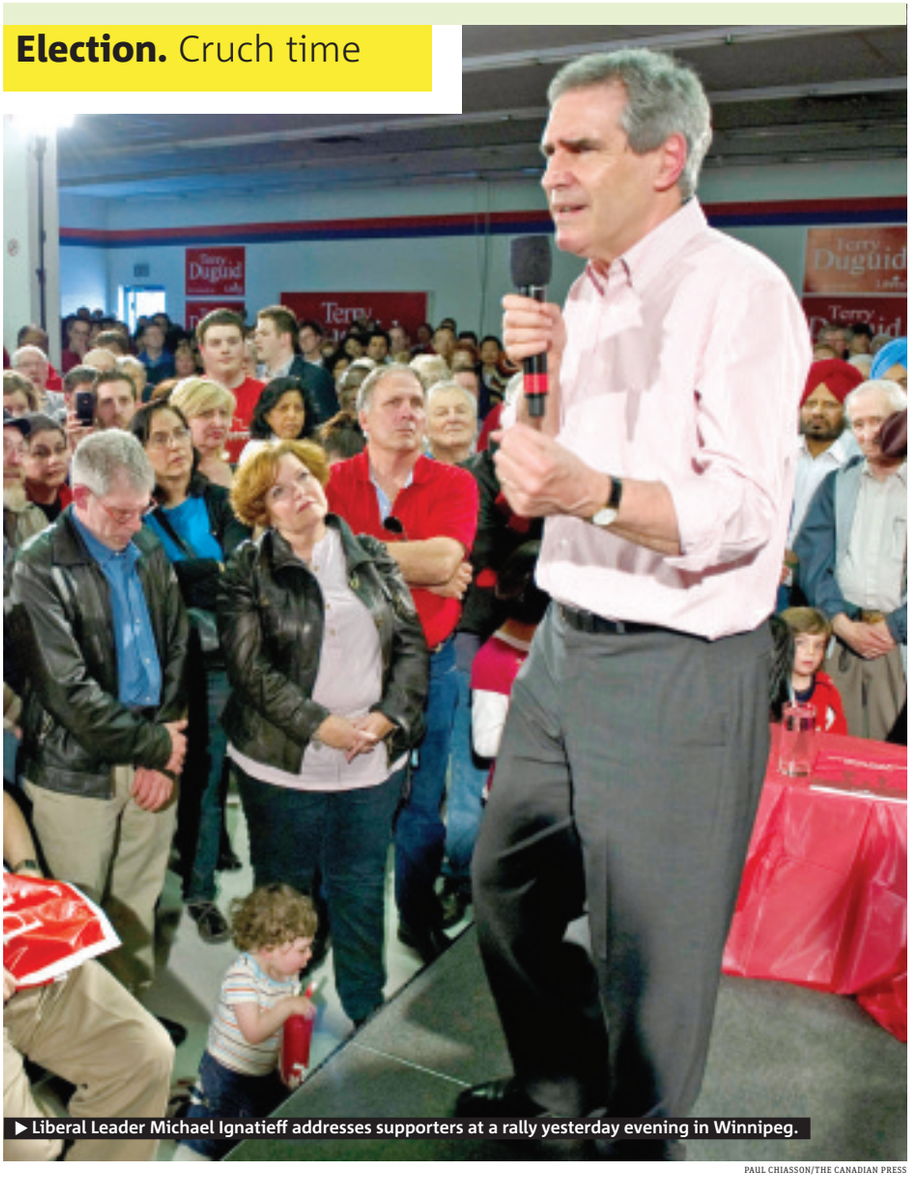
"I don't think I'm better looking than any other person, really," she said. "It's a compliment."

**Who's hot, who's not**

**Go to swingcatproductions.com/blog/canadas-sexiest-election-candidate-finals/ to vote.**

▶ Voting ends at noon local time on Friday.

**Election.** Cruch time



▶ Liberal Leader Michael Ignatieff addresses supporters at a rally yesterday evening in Winnipeg.

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## Iggy works the crowd in Winnipeg

**Liberal Leader Michael Ignatieff made a stop in Winnipeg yesterday to stump for Winnipeg South candidate Terry Duguid. More election coverage, pages 4 & 6.**

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# Border re-opens as waters recede

The highway at Gretna, Man., and therefore the border, has re-opened after being closed last week due to rising waters.

PTH 30 at Gretna was closed after water closed over the road mid-last week, leaving truckers currently being re-routed due to Highway 75's flood-related closure without that border-crossing option.

Evacuations continue in other areas of the province as water levels continue to rise. There have now been people evacuated from the Rural Municipality of Morris, the RM of Ritchot, the Peguis First Nation, Roseau River first Nation and Sioux Valley First Nation, most as a precautionary measure, said provincial flood officials yesterday.

While water levels at James Avenue in Winnipeg have decreased slightly, at the Shellmouth Reservoir, levels have increased by more than a foot since Monday and the reservoir will likely see record volumes of water.

ELISHA DACEY

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▶ Reba Corrigan and Andy Krahn took their one-year-old daughter Page out to see the flood waters in Morris on Monday.

# Last year's fashion to help next year's pets

## Donate that old bridesmaid's dress to help city's dog adoption program

ELISHA DACEY
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Just like a dog, that bridesmaid's dress sitting in the back of your closet still has some life left in it — and the city is hoping you will donate it for a woof-worthy cause.

Titled Mutts Love Glitter, volunteers with the city's animal services department is hosting a new fundraiser this weekend.

"We got people to donate their old evening dresses, gowns ... shoes and accessories, and then on Saturday we're going to have a big sale," said Kasey Klem, three-year volunteer with Winnipeg Animal Services.

Klem said the idea came from another volunteer who heard of a similar fundraiser being held at a shelter in the U.S.

"We figured with grad time just around the corner, this might be a good opportunity for people to maybe find a dress."

Klem said as of yesterday morning, they had several dozen dresses donated and are still looking for more.

"There are some really nice dresses ... some have been donated that are still new, have never been worn and still have the tags on them," said Klem. "People have been so generous."

Klem said there is no fundraising goal in mind, and all the money will support the city's dog adoption program.

**Fundraiser**

**Got a dress or shoes to donate?**

- **Where to donate:** 1057 Logan Ave.
- **When to donate:** The rest of the week between 8 a.m and 6 p.m.
- **Where is the sale:** 1057 Logan Ave.
- **When is the sale:** April 30 from noon-4 p.m.
- **How can I pay:** Cash, debit, credit card.

ELISHA DACEY/METRO

▶ Fashion-forward pooch Valentino poses next to a pair of shoes that will be up for sale Saturday.

# City sues firm over library noise

Alleged noisy design defects at the Millenium Library have prompted the city to sue a Manitoba construction firm and a handful of architectural firms for breach of contract.

After the construction of the library was completed in 2006, staffers on the fourth floor complained of "excessive noise and vibration" coming from the ceiling, floor and nearby mechanical room, city lawyers state in court documents.

The staffers were forced to move as the city paid to have the problems fixed, the lawsuit alleges.

The architects and the contractor who built the library could be on the hook to pay the city back what it spent on repairs.

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▶ Millennium Library

The architects and contractor have not filed a statement of defence and the allegations have not been proven.

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## News in brief

### Watch out for the mob

**VOTE.** Students from across Winnipeg will participate in a "vote mob" today at lunchtime. Organizer Brittany Thiessen said students will gather at the Univeristy of Winnipeg's Centennial Hall at noon where they will film a YouTube video for political activist group LeadNow. METRO

### Cancer society holding walk

**CHARITY.** People are encouraged to join the Canadian Cancer Society — Manitoba Division on the first ever Daffodil Day at the Manitoba legislature grounds today at 9:50 a.m. METRO

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# Fate of Angels clubhouse to be determined

**City pegs value at $378,000 Two vehicles remain impounded on site**

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▶ The bungalow sits empty and people are forbidden to go inside.

JAMES TURNER
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As the anniversary of the government's seizure of the Winnipeg Hells Angels clubhouse draws near, its future remains in question.

Justice officials return to court today to ask a judge for a fourth temporary order since last July, allowing the province to retain control of the Scotia Street property.

A car and a truck remain impounded on the grounds. Surveillance cameras videotape people who approach.

Officials moved to claim the bungalow amid allegations the biker gang used it as a place to plot illegal activity. If the court deems the province should ultimately take ownership of the property, it can be sold, donated or destroyed.

Jay Prober, the lawyer hired by the home's registered owner, Leonard Beauchemin, said yesterday the two sides are still "sorting through" how to proceed.

But, Prober added, a long battle over the property is still a possibility.

"Of course, (Beauchemin) would like his house back but they're not likely to do that without a court fight," Prober said. And that gets expensive, he added.

Beauchemin, who lives in Ontario, won't contest the provincial request for a further order, Prober said.

"We don't want to use all the equity in the house fighting the case," he added.

## Judge begs murder suspect to get lawyer

A Manitoba judge pleaded with a murder suspect to find a lawyer or face a greater chance of spending serious time behind bars.

"Get a lawyer. You're going in circles," Justice Chris Martin told Bradley Campbell, 32, yesterday.

Campbell is fighting his arrest and detention for his alleged involvement in the death of Ricky Lathlin on the grounds he's aboriginal and therefore exempt from being tried by Crown prosecutors.

He's facing second-degree murder and other charges and is refusing legal assistance.

Lathlin died in a home invasion in the Gilbert Park area in April 2010.

"The potential penalty is life in prison ... this is not something you should be doing by yourself," Martin told him, adding other people have made the same argument in court — and lost.

"It doesn't matter to me — I believe in what I'm doing 150 per cent," Campbell said. "I'm not here to challenge the court. I've already told you the rule of law. Now it's up to you whether to follow it or not."

Prosecutors came to the hearing armed with the hope Martin would dismiss Campbell's motion outright.

A preliminary hearing into the murder allegations is set for late August.

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## Arrest made in stabbing death

Winnipeg police have made an arrest in the stabbing death of Sheila Fontaine.

Fontaine and her daughter were standing outside a hotel on Selkirk Avenue on April 20 having a cigarette. Fontaine got into a squabble with a swarm of young women when one of the girls apparently stabbed Fontaine. Fontaine later died at hospital.

Teya Wynter Spence, 18, has been arrested and charged with manslaughter.

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## Thieves break into cop-supply shop, steal equipment

About $2,000 worth of goods from a local police-supply shop was stolen on Friday.

Winnipeg police said the shop's front door was busted open with a rock Friday evening and a number of things were swiped, including handcuffs, batons, flashlights, gloves and knives. The thieves also stole an RCMP cap badge and body armour.

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# Imagine all the people voting NDP — Jack can

- In new ad Layton says he won't stop until job done
- NDP just six points back from Tories: Ekos poll

Election 2011

Jack Layton is no John Lennon, but the piano-playing, left-leaning NDP leader is nonetheless urging Canadian voters to explore the boundaries of their political imaginations.

The party's latest ad, titled Imagine, urges viewers to think seriously about making a prime minister of Layton — a man whose party has never had the heft to genuinely challenge the Liberals or Conservatives.

It's a dramatic departure from the usual fare of animated cut-outs and low-budget Tory bashing, another clear sign that with opinion polls suggesting a surge in popularity in Quebec and elsewhere, the NDP is in unfamiliar territory.

No one, it seems, knows that better than their leader.

"We're used to ... having people come and be interested in our ideas, but then because of our current electoral system we don't get the number of seats that are warranted by the percentage of vote that we get." THE CANADIAN PRESS

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▶ NDP Leader Jack Layton waves from the steps of his campaign plane as he arrives in Toronto yesterday.

ASBESTWHAT?

## Thou shall not speak its name

Neither the name of a cancer-stricken Conservative colleague nor the word asbestos passed Stephen Harper's lips yesterday as he defended Canada's export of the deadly carcinogen that has afflicted Transport Minister Chuck Strahl.

Instead, Harper used a campaign stop in Asbestos, Que., to promote his party as a stout promoter of a dying industry.

"The only party that defends the chrysotile industry is our party, the Conservative party," Harper said in French, at a seniors' home 150 kilometres outside Montreal.

Chrysotile is the name used by the government-funded industry lobby group. The Chrysotile Institute promotes white asbestos and attempts to soften laws restricting or banning its use.

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## Activist seeks G8 report

A Toronto woman has launched a lawsuit in Federal Court in an effort to get the auditor general's report on G8 spending released before next week's election.

Kathleen Trotter, who is a member of the global activist group Avaaz, is seeking the final version of Sheila Fraser's report on the G8 Infrastructure Fund. Fraser's office has said it can't be released because Parliament isn't sitting.

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# Copper fever: Better than gold

**Demand for the hottest metal on the market is only going to get hotter as demand exceeds rare supply**

More big miners are expected to follow the world's largest gold company into the copper sector as its price soars in response to China's growing hunger for the metal.

Canada's Barrick Gold Corp. took a bold step into copper on Monday with a friendly $7.3-billion bid to acquire Equinox Minerals Ltd.

Copper is likely to hover at record prices for the next few years, because there isn't enough supply in the world to feed China's demand for the metal used in electric cables, cars, cellphones and trains, says Patricia Mohr, commodities specialist at Scotiabank.

**"Copper is much more profitable than gold ... even with the record gold prices we've been seeing. That's why I've been calling copper the new gold."**
**PATRICIA MOHR, COMMODITIES SPECIALIST, SCOTIABANK**

The price of copper closed at $4.32 US yesterday on the Toronto stock exchange, below the record of $4.60 set in February. But Mohr said copper is still bringing in "huge" profit margins of 70 per cent and more, while other metals bring in about 50 per cent.

Consolidation will inevitably see smaller players swept up as the major global miners look to get into the industry and diversify with little risk. The number of viable gold mines is thinning out, so gold miners have to look to other metals to grow their business.

Mohr said opportunities to buy smaller, established copper miners are rare, and with the price of copper so high, many companies could start bidding wars to get their hands on one.

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▶ Sony unveils its S1, left, and S2 prototype tablets in Tokyo yesterday .

## SAKU SAKU: NIFTY TECH

### NEW TABLETS ARE 'UNIQUELY SONY'

Sony Corp. is planning a tablet computer it promises will make the best of its "saku saku," or nifty, technology that allows for smooth and quick access to online content and for getting browsers working almost instantly after a touch.

The tablet, code-named S1, comes with a 24-centimetre touch panel similar to Apple's iPad for enjoying online content and for email and social networking.

Sony also has an S2 prototype, a smaller mobile device with two 14-centimetre displays that can be folded like a book.

Both run on Android 3.0. The release date is sometime in September, Sony said, but there's no word yet on prices.

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## Saskatchewan to build 'clean' coal plant

Saskatchewan will rebuild one of its dirty coal power plants so that its emissions can be pumped underground, the province said yesterday. The $1.2-billion project involves retrofitting a unit at the Boundary Dam power station near Estevan and will be one of the first commercial-scale carbon capture and storage facilities in the world. The plant should be operational by 2014.

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### Market moment

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## JUST SAYIN ...

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I am Canadian.

Thanks to a certain beer commercial, you already know what that means.

I vote with my heart since my head is only good for parking one of those hats with earflaps.

When I was very young, I voted NDP.

Then, one day I got tired of wasting my vote, so I voted for Pierre Trudeau, even though he thought the West was something you flew over on the way to visit Margaret's parents in Vancouver.

Even though he flipped off Prairie farmers and launched the National Energy Program, which is why no Liberals get elected in Alberta to this day.

I had a brief moment of remorse and voted for Joe Clark, the favourite son of High River, Alta. But as Progressive a Conservative as Joe was, he was still a long way from Ed Broadbent.

So I went back and wasted my vote for another couple of elections. Don't blame me for Brian Mulroney. I voted NDP.

**"I grew up in the geographical centre of Canada, Winnipeg, and from there, you can see both sides. Winnipeg elects a lot of Liberals, who can also see both sides."**

Then I surprised myself and voted for Kim Campbell, even if she was going out with a guy who was trying to sell running shoes with springs in them. Of course, she was crushed by the Little Guy/petit gars from Shawinigan, and so at the next available opportunity, I went Little Guy, even though there was really nothing little about him. Especially his ego.

By the time Jean Chrétien was ushered off the stage, I had settled into a Liberal voting pattern, which is probably where my heart belongs. I grew up in the geographical centre of Canada, Winnipeg, and from there, you can see both sides. Winnipeg elects a lot of Liberals, who can also see both sides.

Liberals are often accused of riding the fence, and that was certainly Paul Martin's problem — he spent his brief reign impaled on a picket, but I voted for him anyway.

So here we go again.

Stephen Harper? Can't sing. Never trust anyone who is a semi-tone flat but insists on singing in public anyway. Karaoke hog.

Jack Layton? Can't count. If we give him the keys to the Canadian economy, he will take it for a joyride until it runs out of gas.

Elizabeth May? Can't get elected. It's like voting Rhinoceros, just not as much fun.

My heart says to vote for Michael Ignatieff, who is one of the most well-educated guys ever to run for prime minister, but I guess summa cum laude doesn't get you to Sussex Drive.

I am Canadian. It doesn't really matter if my choice wins. What matters is that I vote, because I can.

*Read more of Paul Sullivan's columns at metronews.ca/justsaying*

## metro life panel

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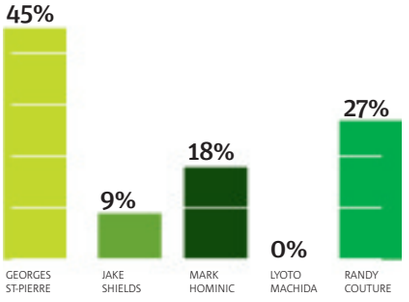
**Who is the best looking UFC fighter on Saturday's card for UFC 129 in Toronto.**




## Local tweets

- **@found-footage:** Unless Guy Maddin lied to us, we're fully expecting Winnipeg to be in black & white with silent film titles.
- **@Croidler:** Pop quiz, hot-shot: what do you call it when @charliesheen visits Winnipeg? Winningpeg!
- **@hossamaniac:** TO ALL WINNIPEG PEOPLE WHO WANT TO JUMP DOWN MY THROAT: I want to see the Jets come back. It just doesn't make financial sense right now.
- **@riseandsprawl:** The Metro? They publish random tweets every day. Pg 5. To see, stand on Portage Ave for 5 sec and someone will hand you a copy.
- **@vhneufeld:** I'm always amazed by the way a change of season effects Winnipeg's collective fashion conscience. Please note: plumber butt is NOT a thing.
- **@kieranmoolchan:** It always blows my mind how many #awesome people from #Winnipeg are on Twitter :) Our city only has 2 degrees of separation ... now even less!

## #elxn41: Tweets

**We asked: Turnout in Canadian elections can be quite low. What's a reason you wouldn't vote?**

- **@jen2sen:** I am voting but really they are all the same why can't politicians work together for the greater good?
- **@megelizah:** I don't like the choices & I don't just want to pick the one I dislike the least ... So maybe I'll just spoil my ballot?
- **@timwadephul:** Ignorance. It can be really hard to find proper/unbiased information about not just party leaders, but local representatives
- **@brittanymaria:** Informed voting and political engagement is so important but I think many people feel alienated by the political parties.
- **@stevequinton:** I'm voting but if I didn't it would be because politicians are all elitist a~holes. They only care about their careers.
- **@l0r1b3nn3tt:** frustration with who to vote for. & it would be nice to vote directly for our pm instead of the way we do it in Canada.
- **@jla30:** Don't like the candidates #elxn41

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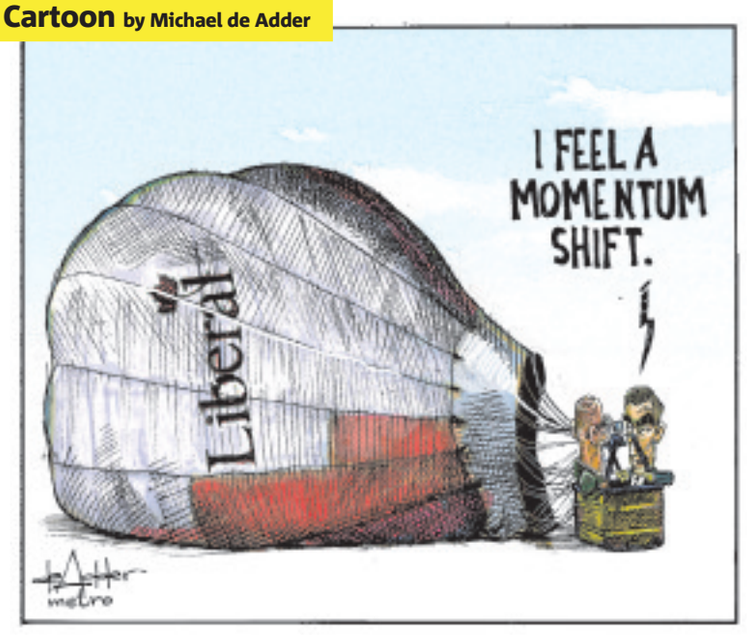


WEIRD NEWS

# Handing the keys over to a new generation

No more hieroglyphics. No more quill pen and inkwell. Now the mechanical typewriter may be on the endangered list.

The owners of the world's last remaining mechanical typewriter factory have shut the plant's doors because of declining orders, CBC News reports.

Godrej & Boyce Manufacturing Co. Ltd. has shuttered its facility in Mumbai, India, where, as recently as 2009, the company was making 12,000 mechanical typewriters per year.

"We are not getting many orders now," general manager Milind Dukle told India's Business Standard newspaper. "This might be the last chance for typewriter lovers."

Mechanical typewriters are prized in India for their ease, efficiency and durability. As many as 400 million Indians lack reliable electricity, so the devices were widely used in the courts and government bureaucracy.

The first commercial mechanical typewriter was produced in the U.S. in 1867. The devices pioneered the QWERTY keyboard layout that is now ubiquitous on personal computers and smartphones. METRO

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# An idiot's guide to the Royals

## Who's who in the Windsor family? Here's everything you need to know

ALL PHOTOS: GETTY IMAGES

**Her Majesty the Queen**

**Position:** Her Royal Highness, The Queen
**Who?** Became Queen at 25. Head of State for the U.K. and 15 other Commonwealth realms including Canada, patron of more than 600 charities, advises the government.
**Scandal:** Consistently dignified, although her dislike for Princess Di was made public.

**Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh**

**Position:** Husband to The Queen
**Who?** Accompanies The Queen on her duties. Patron or president of 800-plus organizations.
**Scandal:** Infamous for embarrassing gaffes like asking an Aboriginal person whether they still throw spears on a state visit to Australia.

**Camilla, Duchess of Cornwall**

**Position:** Second wife of Prince Charles
**Who?** Married Charles in 2005, and supports him in his duties.
**Scandal:** Unglamorous but jolly second wife of Prince Charles.

**Charles, Prince of Wales**

**Position:** The Queen's oldest son
**Who?** Runs umbrella group of 20 charities, patron to 400.
**Scandal:** Had affair with his old flame Camilla Parker-Bowles, their intimate relationship revealed in phone call transcriptions in which he said he wished he were her tampon.

**Princess Anne**

**Position:** The Queen's only daughter
**Who?** Low-key but prolific. President of Save the Children, and patron of more than 320 organizations and charities. Has two children, Zara Philips and Peter Philips

**Zara Philips**

**Prince Andrew, Duke of York**

**Position:** The Queen's middle son
**Who?** A Royal Navy helicopter pilot for 22 years.
**Scandal:** Nicknamed Randy Andy in the '80s for a string of glamorous girlfriends. Most recently his role as trade envoy is threatened by links to billionaire Jeffery Epstein convicted of underage sex.

**Sarah Ferguson**

**Prince Edward, Earl of Wessex**

**Position:** The Queen's youngest son
**Who?** An unacademic Cambridge graduate who left Royal Marines early to work in the theatre.
**Scandal:** Long rumoured to be gay. In 1986 his TV company produced embarrassing TV charity game show, It's a Royal Knockout.

**Sophie, Countess of Wessex**

**Diana, Princess of Wales**

**Position:** Late ex-wife of Prince Charles
**Who?** Hugely popular and glamorous, committed to her daring charity work with AIDS-sufferers and anti-land-mine organizations. Divorced Charles in 1996, died in 1997.

**Prince Harry**

**Position:** Youngest son of Prince Charles
**Who?** Has trained as a tank commander, and currently training as a helicopter pilot with the army.
**Scandal:** General drunkenness, dressing as a Nazi at a fancy dress party.

**Prince William**

**Position:** Oldest son of Prince Charles
**Who?** Helicopter pilot for the RAF, has also followed in his mother's footsteps supporting homeless and AIDS charities.
**Scandal:** Relatively clean, although chastised for flying helicopter to friend's party.

**Kate Middleton**

**Position:** Fiancee of William
**Who?** Attractive royal bride-to-be. Worked for her parents' online party shop until her engagement.
**Scandal:** Allegedly her mother pushed her to attend St. Andrews University in order to meet her prince charming.

**Princess Beatrice and Princess Eugenie**

**Position:** Children
**Who?** Party-going student daughters often photographed falling out of high-society clubs.

**Lady Louise and Viscount Severn**

**Position:** Children
**Who?** Kept out of the media glare.

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### Wedding tweets

Hopefully Kate and William's marriage will mark a new generation of royal marriages. Marriages in the previous generation are too-often far from happy. Three of Queen Elizabeth's four children have divorced.

Follow Weddingbells Allison McGill as she tweets live from London before, during and after the royal nuptials on Friday at metronews.ca/royalwedding

# Wanna bet?

## British betting houses have all the odds on the royal wedding, from Kate's dress to the couple's first dance

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While many Brits are moaning and groaning over the cost of the Royal Wedding, Britain's top betting houses are giving even the most disgruntled taxpayer a chance to make some money off the big day.

The bets range from safer — the sex of William and Kate's first child — to a bit more outrageous (will Kate leave her prince at the altar?). If she does indeed play runaway bride, the payoff could be quite nice as betting house William Hill puts the odds of this at only 50:1.

Another royal long shot? That the couple will have their first dance to the Kings of Leon hit Sex on Fire, the odds of which are only 50:1, according to William Hill. The safest bet is for You're Beautiful by James Blunt at 5:1 odds.

The tabloids won't be the only ones hoping for a slew of royal faux pas come April 29.

Ladbrokes places the odds of the Queen wearing a black hat to wedding at only 25:1. Another bet says 14:1 that Kate will give birth to their first child in 2011, meaning she became pregnant before walking down the aisle.

ANDREW MILLIGAN/WPA POOL/GETTY IMAGES

▶ Prince William and Kate Middleton

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# Lindsay will work close to dead bodies

**Actress' community service to include doing time at Los Angeles coroner**

While Lindsay Lohan is facing four months behind bars, she's also been ordered to complete 480 hours of community service — and 120 of those hours around dead bodies, according to People magazine.

Lohan will spend a portion of her community service time working for the Los Angeles coroner.

"She won't be handling any dead bodies but she'll certainly see them," coroner assistant chief Ed Winter tells the magazine.

Instead, Lohan will be handling janitorial tasks like emptying trash cans and cleaning floors and bathrooms. METRO

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▶ Lindsay Lohan

## Talking points

### Aguilera tries to get past flub

**A BAD JOKE** Christina Aguilera is doing her best to get passed her infamous Super Bowl gaffe, during which she sang the wrong lyrics during her performance of the Star-Spangled Banner.

"That night I knew, I just made myself a Trivial Pursuit question," she tells Ellen DeGeneres in a recent interview.

"In 2011, what female singer, ya know, flubbed the lyrics. It's just insane. But I have a really good laugh about it and you get over things. You get back up again and you just prove to yourself and to everyone you're that much stronger." METRO

## Celebrity tweets

"Avoid vexatious people."

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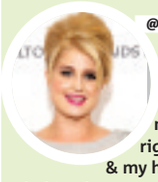

@MissKelly0

"My hearts in my mouth right now & my hands r shaking because a pap almost drove me off the road if he hit us we would of ended up in the er"

@billmaher

"Tina Fey, 5 months pregnant at 40 not showing and no one knew - boy, when she does a Sarah Palin impression, she really commits!

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▶ The cold waters of the Pacific teem with colour and life under the surface in British Columbia. Some of the most beautiful parts of the province lie under the surface of the ocean, say divers, who come from around the world to explore the colourful marine life and underwater creatures that call the Pacific home.

# Go explore B.C's underwater wonders

## Canada's West Coast beauty is not limited to forests and mountains

From a crevice on the ocean floor, the prehistoric-looking face of a wolf eel emerges from the darkness, all bulging eyes and warts bobbing toward the camera.

Most divers off the coast of British Columbia consider an encounter with these puckered creatures one of the highlights of plying the waters off the West Coast of Canada. Sometimes called the "puppies" of the sea, described as among the friendliest creatures to be encountered in the wild, eager to cuddle at popular dive sites where they have become accustomed to visitors from above the surface.

"They look mean, they look ugly but, just as long as you're careful, you can actually go and touch them, they will snuggle with you," says Paul Kennell, creator of CoolDives.com, a website dedicated to diving off the B.C. coast. "They're funny looking things but they're pretty gentle, generally."

Kennell has explored oceans around the world in his 15 years of diving but reserves his best reviews for his home waters. The tropics are warmer, says Kennell, "but the diving is also nowhere near as exciting."

Lore has it that famed underwater explorer Jacques Cousteau proclaimed the waters off the coast of British Columbia the best cold-water diving in the world. Scuba Diving Magazine readers chose B.C. the No. 1 diving site in North America last year.

"The diving around B.C. is amongst the best in the world," agrees Greg Dombowsky, curator of Dive.BC.ca and author of the Divers Guide Vancouver Island South.

The waters off the B.C. coast boast the giant Pacific octopus, the biggest sea stars and forests of giant sponges. Under the surface, the water teems with a rainbow of life, including anemones, sea cucumbers and coral. THE CANADIAN PRESS

### If you go ...

- Tourism British Columbia's website (hellobc.com) includes information on diving in the province, diving tours and practical tips for planning a vacation.
- CoolDives.com has information and online bookings for scuba diving trip.
- Dive.BC.ca is another website that has great information, photos and videos to help plan a trip.

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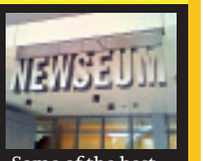
### Travel in brief




Some of the best pictures from the news in 2010, including award-winning images from Haiti, are going on display at the Newseum in Washington. The Pictures of the Year exhibit opens Friday. The Newseum says it includes Lady Gaga's first appearance in a Washington museum.

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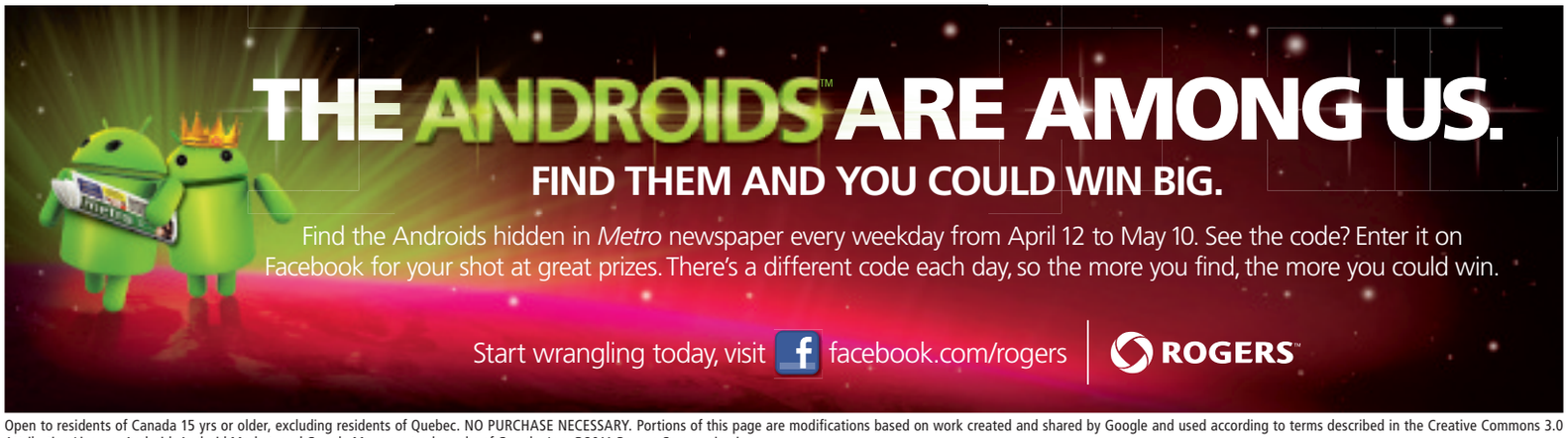
**Presley, Ali photos tell stories of two American icons at Pennsylvania museum**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# A perfect brunch

## These recipes are ideal for when you entertain small and intimate groups

BOTH PHOTOS: ROSE REISMAN

▶ Using homemade pesto allows for less fat and fewer calories.

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This Salmon with Pesto and Cream Cheese is an easy and delicious way to serve salmon.

I prefer to use homemade pesto, which has fewer calories and less fat than store-bought pesto.

This pesto recipe makes more than what you will use for the salmon; keep it refrigerated for later use.

To toast the pine nuts or almonds, place a dry skillet over high heat, add the nuts and stir often for about 3 minutes.

### Ingredients:

- 1 1/2 lb salmon fillet, cut into 6 fillets (about 4 oz. each)
- 1/4 cup low-fat cream cheese (about 2 oz), softened
- 2 Tbsp pesto
- 2 Tbsp toasted pine nuts (or chopped toasted almonds)

**Pesto**

- 1 cup fresh basil leaves
- 2 Tbsp grated Parmesan cheese
- 1 Tbsp toasted pine nuts
- 2 Tbsp light cream cheese, softened
- 1 tsp finely chopped garlic
- 3 Tbsp chicken stock (or vegetable stock or water)
- 2 Tbsp olive oil

### Preparation:

1. Preheat the oven to 425°F. Line a rimmed baking sheet with foil and lightly coat with cooking spray.
2. For the pesto, place all the ingredients in the bowl of a food processor and purée until smooth. Add more water if too thick.
3. Combine the cream cheese and pesto in a small bowl until smooth.
4. Make a small vertical slit on the top of each salmon fillet to within 1/4 inch of each end and about 1/2 inch deep. Stuff each fillet by dividing the pesto filling between the 6 fillets.
5. Arrange spinach, cucumber and olives on a large serving platter. Top with roasted vegetables.
6. Place on the prepared baking sheet and bake for 10 minutes per inch of thickness. Garnish with toasted nuts before serving.

## Warm Spinach Salad

This salad must be served warm so the cheese softens over the warmed mushrooms. Use any variety of mushroom. The key is to cook them on a medium-high heat until all moisture evaporates.

### Preparation:

1. Lightly coat a nonstick skillet with cooking spray and sauté mushrooms over medium heat for about 8 minutes, or just until no longer wet and slightly browned. Keep warm.
2. Prepare dressing by whisking olive oil, balsamic vinegar, mayo, honey, garlic, mustard, salt and pepper.
3. Place spinach, sautéed mushrooms and Asiago in a serving bowl. Pour dressing over salad and toss. Serve immediately. ROSE REISMAN

### Ingredients:

**Salad**

- 3 cups oyster mushrooms, sliced in half
- 8 cups baby spinach
- 1/2 cup shredded Asiago (or Parmesan) cheese

**Dressing**

- 2 Tbsp olive oil
- 1 Tbsp balsamic vinegar
- 1 Tbsp light mayonnaise
- 2 tsp honey
- 1/2 tsp finely chopped garlic
- 1/2 tsp Dijon mustard
- pinch of salt and pepper

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# Green dreams do come true

**The WWF is handing out up to $5000 in grant money to any school willing and ready to prioritize the planet**

WWF is helping to grow young environmental leaders across Canada with its Green CommUnity School Grants Program, made possible by Loblaw Companies Limited. With six rounds of funding over three years, schools can apply each spring and winter season through 2012 for grants of up to $5,000 for anything and everything from a bicycle repair shop to a biodiversity garden. The program is open to any student or teacher with a green dream for their school or community.

Looking for some inspiration for what your school can do? Chances are you don't need to look any further than your own community. These grants have funded 59 projects to date in communities small and large, from P.E.I. to the Northwest Territories.

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▶ Initiatives are popping up in every province. Apply for funding at wwf.ca/greencommunitygrants .

Hampton High in New Brunswick, for example, created a sustainable fishing and angling club. Teacher and project lead Hardy Cameron calls it an education in sustainability using fishing as the hook to engage students.

Projects are springing up in Canada's western provinces as well. Tom Baines School in Calgary, Alberta, has done some amazing work since deciding to perform a garbage audit a few months ago. The audit showed where the school could improve its current recycling program and the grant will help purchase super–sorter, multi–compartment bins that allow more effective separation of plastics, paper and bottles or cans.

For Ryan Morgan, the teacher leading this green initiative, the project isn't just about garbage reduction. It is also a tool to educate students, parents and teachers about the problems of excessive consumption and waste.

Another great result of the Green CommUnity School Grants Program sprouts directly from its source.

The program is supported by partial proceeds from Loblaw Companies' national charge–for–plastic shopping bag program, which both funds green initiatives and helps reduce the number of plastic shopping bags in landfills.

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## Go ahead, apply!

**Apply for a Green CommUnity School Grant online at wwf.ca/greencommunitygrants.**

- Schools can apply for up to $5,000.
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## Engine options

All three of the Durango's trim levels — SXT, Crew Plus and Citadel — arrive with a 290-horsepower 3.6-litre V6.

Available on all but the base model is a 360-horsepower 5.7-litre "Hemi" V8 that deactivates half of its cylinders under cruise, coast and deceleration conditions, helping it achieve fuel-economy ratings of 16.6 l/100 km in city driving and 10.1 on the highway.

## More space

Modifications on the 2011 Durango include extending the distance between the front and rear wheels by nearly 13 centimetres and overall length by 25 centimetres to allow space for a third-row seat.

The new Durango is now closely similar to the previous version, but is much easier to enter and exit due to its considerably less truck-like ride height.

## Towing

Towing capacities will give the Durango's competitors a run for their money, especially V8 models that can pull up to 3,265 kilograms worth of boat, horse or vacation trailer.

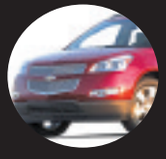
V6 units offer a 2,800-kilogram towing capacity, which is more than the old Durango's base 3.7-litre V6 or optional 4.7-litre V8.

All-wheel-drive is standard, but exact system depends on engine choice.

▶ Although it's on the same platform as the new Jeep Grand Cherokee, the Dodge Durango does a great job of being its own big wagon. How can you not love the styling?

### By comparison

**Chevrolet Traverse AWD**
Base price: $40,300
Comparable to Durango in size and fuel economy, but lacks a V8 option.



**Ford Explorer 4WD**
Base price: $34,550
New-for-'11 model also loses its truck frame. A thrifty turbo I4 is optional.

**Mazda CX-9 AWD**
Base price: $40,100
Sharply styled model specializes in behaving like a sedan on the road.

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# Dodge's wagon applies for reinstatement into SUV club

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Once left for dead, the Dodge Durango has made a surprising comeback for 2011, after a two-year absence.

Still, it faces an uncertain future as steadily rising fuel costs could derail its return before it really gets off the ground.

Chrysler has redesigned or reformulated most of its 2011 product lineup and nowhere is that more evident than in the Durango.

The model was considered dead and buried by late 2008, but clearly Dodge had other plans.

They included building the big sport ute on a modified Jeep Grand Cherokee platform that's also being employed in the next-generation Mercedes-Benz M-Class.

The redesign has resulted in the best-looking Durango since the brand's 1998-model-year arrival.

Certainly there will always be a need for the power and passenger capacity offered by the Dodge Durango. However it remains to be seen if a two-year absence will affect its ability to make friends among the changing New World Order of sport ute fanatics.

▶ A rear view of the Dodge Durango.

▶ Overall, interior quality has taken a dramatic turn for the better in the Durango's class of vehicle, with tighter gaps and fanatical attention to detail.

### Dodge Durango

**What you should know about the 2011 Dodge Durango:**

- **Types:** Four-door, all-wheel-drive, seven-passenger sport utility vehicle.
- **Engine (hp):** 3.6-litre DOHC V6 (290); 5.7-litre OHV V8 (360).
- **Transmission:** Five-speed automatic.
- **Points:** Rejuvenated model the most attractive Durango yet; Base V6 stronger that previous model's base V6 and V8 powerplants.
- **Stats:** L/100 km (city/hwy) 13.0/8.9 (3.6).

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## Sports in brief

1 The Orlando Magic stayed alive in the playoffs with a 101-76 win over the Atlanta Hawks.

2 L.A.'s Andre Ethier set a major league record by extending his hitting streak to 23 games, the longest ever in April.

3 Adam Lind had a three-run blast in the Toronto Blue Jays 10-3 win over the Texas Rangers in Arlington.
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▶ Brian Gionta scores on Boston's Tim Thomas last night.

# Canadiens take it to 7

**Bruins' penalties come back to bite them** **Price protects lead in third**

Brian Gionta and Michael Cammalleri scored during two separate two-man advantages and the Montreal Canadiens forced a decisive Game 7 in their first-round playoff series with a 2-1 victory over the Boston Bruins last night.

Dennis Seidenberg scored for Boston, which played more than half the game without ejected winger Milan Lucic, but still outshot the Canadiens 32-27.

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Boston had taken the lead in the closely contested series with consecutive overtime wins, but couldn't get the equalizer behind Carey Price despite outshooting Montreal 11-6 in the third period.

It was a nervous game for both teams, with spotty passing and missed opportunities on both sides.

The crowd of 21,273 booed as a Montreal goal at 3:27 of the first period was disallowed due to a quick whistle. Scott Gomez's dump-in was misplayed by Thomas and lay clearly open beside Thomas as Gionta slipped it in the net.

Cammalleri was the catalyst for the opening goal as he threw the puck toward the Boston bench and caught them for too many men on the ice, then had his stick slashed in two by Seidenberg for a two-man advantage.

Cammalleri then scored on a one-timer from a P.K. Subban pass at 10:07.

The Bruins struck back with the teams each down one man only 48 seconds into the second as Seidenberg came out from behind the net and lifted it inside the post.
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# Flyers roll to series victory

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Brian Boucher stopped 25 shots and the Philadelphia Flyers advanced to the Eastern Conference semifinals with a 5-2 win over the Buffalo Sabres in Game 7 of their first-round series last night.

The Flyers raced to a 4-0 lead and chased Buffalo goalie Ryan Miller in the third.

It was a switch from the rest of the series, where the Flyers had trouble in the net. They started three goalies in seven games. Boucher won Games 2 and 6 in relief, but was stout for all 60 minutes in the series clincher.

The defending conference champions must wait to learn their next opponent.

Braydon Coburn, Danny Briere, James van Riemsdyk, and Ville Leino all scored against Miller to suck the drama out of Game 7.

The Flyers surely won't complain about a rout after a tightly contested and topsy-turvy series, in which five of the first six games were decided by one goal.
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# Tiger to miss a few weeks with knee injury

Tiger Woods has a minor injury to his left knee and Achilles tendon that will keep him out of the Wells Fargo Championship next week.

Woods said on his website yesterday he hurt himself hitting a shot during the third round of the Masters. It's the fourth time he has missed a tournament due to his left knee. Woods did not say when he might return, but he hopes to be back in a few weeks.

"This is precautionary. We're not at all concerned," said his agent Mark Steinberg. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**11th** Tiger Woods won at Quail Hollow in 2007 and had never finished worse than 11th until missing the cut last year.

## Sports in brief

### Raonic moves on in Portugal

**TENNIS.** Canadian Milos Raonic won his opening match at the Estoril Open yesterday, over Russian Igor Andreev 6-4, 6-4 to set up a second-round contest with Portugal's Joao Sousa.
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### Dodgers owner to meet with league

**MLB.** L.A. Dodgers owner Frank McCourt said he will travel to New York to meet with MLB executives today about the appointment of a monitor to run the team. MLB seized his team after it was reported he arranged a $30-million US loan to meet payroll.
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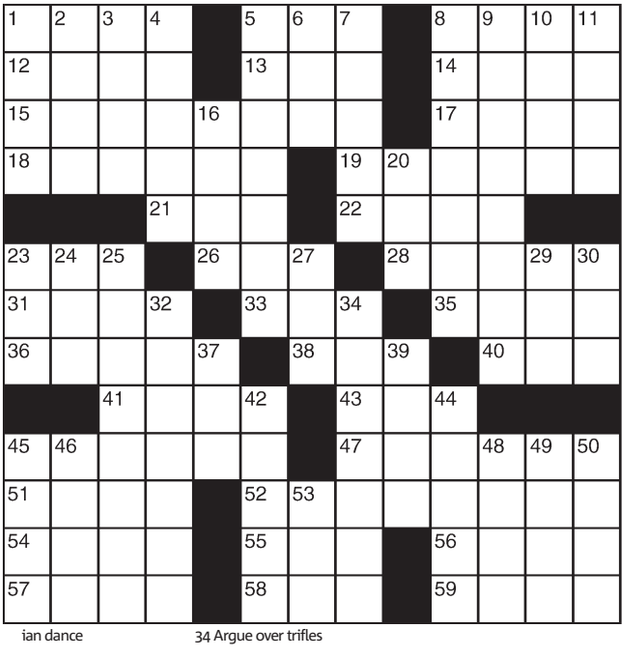

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## Sudoku

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## How to play

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved. You solve the puzzle with reasoning and logic.

Yesterday's answer ▶

## Send a KISS

**You can now post your kiss, and read even more kisses, online at metronews.ca/kiss.**

*My Rockstar Lover,*
*I can't belive we've made it this far. I'm so happy I've spent the last 2 years of my life with you, i wouldn't have asked for it any other way! My unconditional love for you deepens more each day. You are my world and i am yours forever and eternally!!! Paddle Paddle xo*
*From* **YOUR ROSALEE**

*Darling, Thinking about you today is making me smile. I treasure our past and can't wait for our future together. I love you, don't ever forget that.Yay fun extravaganzas!*
*From* **LEPRESEAN**

*Huishan, Our relationship blossomed from the moment I laid my eyes on you and spoke to you in another language. You & I are going strong for 8 years and counting; I am so grateful for every day that you are in my life. I love you.* **GELINO**

## A look at the weather

BT BREAKFAST TELEVISION

**Jenna Khan, Weather Specialist**

*"Weather impacts everything we do. Providing the information you need before you head out that door and take on the day is the best part of my morning."* **WEEKDAYS 6AM**

| TODAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
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| Min 5° Max 16° | Min 4° Max 15° | Min 4° Max 18° |

## Today's horoscope

*For today's crossword answers and for expanded horoscopes, go to metronews.ca*

**♈ Aries** March 21-April 20 You need to be a lot more flexible, especially in your career.

**♉ Taurus** April 21-May 21 The emotional bruises you get today will be balanced by the knowledge that they're helping you in some way.

**♊ Gemini** May 22-June 21 You will have a profound effect on those around you today.

**♋ Cancer** June 22-July 22 You will tempted to have words with those who only seem to complain. Why don't you?

**♌ Leo** July 23-Aug.23 Put your mind to it and you'll find ways to make sense of something that didn't make sense before.

**♍ Virgo** Aug. 24- Sept. 22 It's okay to be outspoken but don't expect others to just sit there and take it.

**♎ Libra** Sept. 23-Oct. 23 Make an effort to get along with others. You'll accomplish a lot.

**♏ Scorpio** Oct. 24-Nov. 22 Stop trying to make it appear as if you're in control of every and every situation.

**♐ Sagittarius** Nov. 23-Dec. 21 There seems to be tension in the air. You need to defuse the situation. Start by not judging.

**♑ Capricorn** Dec. 22-Jan. 20 Maybe it's time to start looking around for new opportunities. Your talent is in demand.

**♒ Aquarius** Jan. 21-Feb. 18 Today, you'll have the energy to get things done quickly.

**♓ Pisces** Feb. 19-March 20. Be honest with loved ones today, even at the risk of upsetting them. SALLY BROMPTON

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